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#### HAROLD BRAFMAN LEADER OF MICA DELEGATION TO ENGLAND



Mr. Harold Brafman, Superintendent of the Mica Department and Pilot Plant, w. s honored recently by being named leader of the United States delegation on Mica to the International Standards Organiza-

#### Robert C. Sprague, Jr. **Heads Committee**

Robert C. Sprague, Jr., has been named to head an industry-wide Walsh-Healey Committee for the electronic components industry.

Sprague's appointment chairman of the committee was made by the Executive Committee of the Parts Division of the Electronic Industries Association, at EIA's annual meeting in Chicago, May 21-23.

The committee will act in behalf of the industry in connection with matters pertaining to the Walsh-Healey public contracts act, which applies in certain respects to companies engaged in government contract work.

Appointment of Mr. Sprague marks cond occasion on which he has been chosen to head an industry group connected with Walsh-Healey mat-ters. From 1950 through 1952 he chaired a similar committee for the industry association, which was then called the Radio Manufacturers Association.

Active in industry affairs for the past several years, Mr. Sprague also has served as Director of EIA's Industrial Relations Department and Chairman of its Executive Committee

He returned after June 13 to fulltime service with Sprague Electric, having completed a year's assignment as a Sloan Fellow at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology's graduate school. Mr. Sprague received a Master of Science degree from MIT as a result of his work in the Sloan program.

Mr. Sprague is a Director of the Sprague Electric Company and is the Director of the Employe and Community Relations Division and Flight tion meeting at Harrogate, England.

He was sponsored at the meeting held June 8 through 12, by the Mica Importers Association, the Mica Fabricators Association, and the National Electrical Manufacturers Association. About 1,000 representatives from various companies and government gencies attended this the fourth such meeting. Previous meetings have been held in New York and Paris France.

The International Standards Organization is a technical branch of the United Nations whose main purpose is to work toward world standardization of products, man-made or nat-Mr. Brafman's group presented information and data to the worldwide Mica Industry for the adoption of visual standards to supplement written specifications.

He joined Sprague Electric in 1941 and has some 30 years experience in the Mica field. He represents the American Standards Organization and the American Society for Testing Materials of which he is Chairman of sub-committee on raw mica products.

He is married to the former Evelyn Shapiro of Mt. Vernon, New York, and they have one daughter.

He graduated in 1941 Operations. from the Middlesex School and was member of the Class of 1945 at Williams College.

He currently holds CAA commercial pilot, flight instructor, instrument, single and multi engine land as well as several ground instructor

He is active in community affairs, having served as president and director of the North Adams Chamber of Commerce, Chairman and Treasurer of the Mount Greylock Tramway Authority, and a member of the Advisory Board of the North Adams State Teachers College.

## The Suggestion Box



Ray Belding benefited to the tune of \$175 at the May meeting of the Suggestion Committee as awarded to employes who submitted acceptable ideas. Ray's suggestion was to use a different type soldering method in the construction of one of the filter units.

Other awards for the month went to Kenneth Williams of Clorinol Assembly, Brown Street, \$35; and Leo Moreau of the Subminiature Stockroom, Beaver

#### John Winant to Head **EIA** Department

John H. Winant, Assistant Director Employe and Community Relations, has been named as Director of the Industrial Relations Department of the Electronic Industries Association, the industry's trade organiza-

Appointment of Mr. Winant to erve a one-year term was made by EIA's board of directors at the association's annual meeting in

## Management Club Adds Tiezzi and **Balderston of Field Engineering**



James C. Baldrston, Coordinator in the Field Engineering Department, joined Sprague in August of 1955. He received his Bachelor of Arts Degree from Dartmouth College in

1951, and a Master of Commercial Science Degree from the Amos Tuck School at Dartmouth in 1952. He also studied physics for two years at Williams College. Prior to joining Sprague he was employed by H. L. Crowley & Company as a production supervisor. A native of Evanston, Illinois, he is married to the former Doris B. Lang of Steelton, Pennsylvania, and they have two children



Anthony Tiezzi, loordinator in the field Engineering Department, joined the Company in October 1957. He s a graduate of the Jniversity of Connecticut and comes to Sprague from

the Capacitor Division of the General Electric Company of Hudson Falls, New York. He was connected with General Electric for 15 years in various engineering and sales posts. He is a native of Meriden, Connecticut and is married to the former Mary Crossin of Pittsfield, They have two children.

## \$8,400 IN SCHOLARSHIPS MADE AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS

Five promising area students were the recipients of scholarships totaling \$8,400 at Class Night exercises held recently at Drury and St. Joseph's High Schools.

The Company offers three Sprague Electric Scholar-ship Fund Awards of \$500 per year for four years. Two of these went to Edmond Benoit and Juris Zauls of Drury High School, and one to Robert Chouinard of St. Joseph's High School. The Company additionally awards an Engineering Scholarship of \$500 per year for four years and a Nursing Scholarship of \$400. These went to Edward Williams of Drury and Colleen Moore of St. Joseph's, respectively.

The Sprague Electric Scholarships of \$500 per for four years are offered to graduates of local high schools who are employes or children of employes of the Company. The Engineering Scholarship of \$500 per year for four years is offered to graduates of local high schools who will enter an engineering or science cour of study. The Nursing Scholarship of \$400 is awarded to a high school graduate who lives within a 25 mile radius of North Adams, who will be pursuing a nursing

The Company, in addition to the grants extended to students, gives to each college or university concerned a "matching" fund grant in an amount equal to that of the scholarship. These "matching" funds may be used by the institution in any constructive manner it wishes.

In addition, a co-operative Engineering Scholarship of \$500 is normally offered. This year, however, not granted due to the lack of sufficient qualified appli-

Recipients for the awards are recognized for their scholastic ability, leadership qualifications, ambition, and need for financial assistance

Mr. William J. Nolan, Vice President and Secretary, presented the awards to St. Joseph's students at Class Night Ceremonies on June 6th. The Drury award winners received their scholarships from John H. Winant, Assistant Director of the Employe and Community Relations Division, at Class Night Ceremonies held on June 12.

Mr. Edmond Benoit is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Benoit of 48 College Avenue, North Adams. His mother is employed in the Company's Clorinol Department on Brown Street. Edmond graduated in the top ten, academically, of his class. He played intra-nural basketball while at Drury and was a member of his yearbook staff. To help finance his way through college, he worked part time at Nassif's Pharmacy. He plans to study Chemical Engineering at the University of Massachusetts this fall.

Mr. Juris Zauls is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy W. Zauls of 1551 Massachusetts Avenue, North Adams. His parents are both employed at Sprague. His father His father is an impregnator and his mother is an office machine operator. Juris served as Editor-in-Chief of his class

book, participated in the junior and senior class plays and was elected secretary of the Hi-Y Club. In addition, he played varsity football and track and was a member of the Varsity Club. He plans to study Engineering at the University of Massachusetts in the fall. Mr. Robert Chouinard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Armand Chouinard of

Chicago, May 21-23. Mr. Winant succeeds J. M. Ferren, vice president

industrial relations, of Zenith

Radio Corporation.

EIA's Industrial Relations Department is one of five functional staff departments which serve the associa-tion. Membership in the department includes industrial relations and per sonnel officials of some 60 electronic industry companies.

The department acts in behalf of, and is the spokesman for the industry in all matters relating to industrial relations, encompassing such fields as wage and hours legislation, collective bargaining, employment and personnel policies and other related matters of interest to member firms.

In his capacity as Director of the Department, Mr. Winant will also serve as Chairman of the department's Executive Committee, a 27member group which sets policy within the departmental organization and supervises activities of the various committees.

Mr. Winant has been with Sprague Electric since 1953. He is a graduate of Williams College, and has served two tours of active duty with the United States Marine Corps, during World War II and the Korean hostilities. He holds a captaincy rat-Continued on Face 2, Cal. 5











138 Quincy Street, North Adams. His father is employed as a group leader in the Company's Etch House at Marshall Street. Robert is the Vice-President of the Greylock Sports men's Club and was a member of his school's Key Club. He worked part time to help finance his college studies He plans to study Engineering at the University of Massachusetts this fall. Mr. Edward Williams, Jr. is the

son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Williams of Heartwellville, Vt. Edward is salutatorian of his class in addition to being its Vice-President. His academic honors additionally include membership in the Nu Sigma (Sophomore academic honor society) of which he was president, and membership in the Pro Merito (Senior academic honor society.) He was also a member of the Hi-Y and Key Clubs. In addition to these activities, Edward participated in varsity football, track, skiing, and was a member of the Varsity Club. He will enter Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute to study Civil Engineering this fall.

Miss Colleen Moore is the daughter of Police Sergeant and Mrs. Thomas B. Moore of 425 Eagle Street, North Adams. Colleen was a co-editor of the high school newspaper, a cheerleader for four years and is a member of the Children of Mary Sodality She plans to study nursing at St. Luke's School of Nursing in Pittsfield.



INTRODUCING "MISS JUNE"

Lovely Miss Susan Buzzell bids farewell to school days as she doffs her cap and gown and steps out to take her place in the world. Susan is the daughter of Leland Buzzell of Purchasing and Dot Buzzell of the Maintenance Department. She graduated from Drury High School this month and is employed in the Methods and Planning Department.



Recent visitors to the Research & Engineering Laboratories were Cub Scout Den No. 3, Pack 80 from Williamstown. From left to right are Tony Ruscito, Jr., Bill Blandy, Jr., Jack MacLadyen, Jr., Steve Eddy, Dick Peck, Mrs. Bruce Atchison, Den Mother, Mat Nasewski, Steve Wellcome, Ronnie Atchison, Gil Devey, Jr., and Mrs. Gilbert Devey, Den Mother.



Al Folino of Networks, is shown receiving congratulations from his foreman John Smith upon completion of a 2\(\frac{1}{2}\) year International Correspondence School Course in Industrial Electronics. Jack Shields, General Foreman looks on.





#### Names in the News

MISS LAURA E. CARDINAL.
Secretary to Dr. Wilbur A. Lazier,
was among 250 registrants at the New
England Conference of the National
Secretaries Association (International) held in Portland, Maine, MISS
ALICE HERRMANN, Secretary to
Mr. Leon Podolsky, was elected to the
Massachusetts Division Nominating
Committee for the 1958-1959 term.
The Berkshire Hills Chapter of NSA
was the recipient of the Massachusetts
Division Award for the best President's Letter.

THOMAS CULLEN, of the Methods and Planning Department and the New England regional president of the National Management Association of America recently served as master of ceremonies at the Association's national directors meeting in Boston.

KELLY HOOKS, of the Research and Engineering Department was recently elected vice-chairman of the Western Massachusetts Section of the Institute of Radio Engineers at their meeting held at the Williams College Physics Building.

WALTER LAMPHIER, of the Research and Engineering Department, was recently elected Chairman of the Capital Outlay Committee for the Town of Williamstown. Also elected to sub-committees were JOHN SCHIMMEL III, and WILLIAM KIRBY.

#### David Monks Honored By Northeastern



David Monks, a cooperative student in the Methods and Planning Department, was recently named Northeastern University's Most Outstanding Sopho-

more Mechanical Engineer for the 1957-1958 academic year. The award was presented at ceremonies held the 22nd of May at the American Society of Mechanical Engineers Annual dinner meeting at the University in Boston.

The award is made annually by the Tau Kappa Chapter of Pi Tau Sigma, National Engineering Honor Fraternity to the sophomore student with outstanding scholastic achievement.

David will be entering the third year at Northeastern this fall, under the Co-operative student plan. He is one of ten such students with Sprague Electric, who, after their first year alternate 26 weeks of classroom study with 26 weeks of on-the-job work with industry.

room study with industry.

He is a native of Pittsfield, Mass., where he won academic honors at Pittsfield High School before his graduation in 1956.

#### SEEBF Donates \$785.00

Contributions to local charitable fund raising organizations mounted to \$7,545 for 1958 as the Sprague Electric Employes Benefit Fund added \$785 at its May meeting.

May being cancer month, local cancer funds benefited by the monthly meeting in the following amounts: North Adams Cancer Fund, Inc. \$660; Williamstown Cancer Fund, Inc. \$50.00; Adams Cancer Fund, Inc. \$50.00; and the Stamford, Vermont Cancer Fund, Inc. \$25.00.

Richard Elder, Research & Engineering, and William McDonald, Systems & Procedures, recently received Master of Science Degrees in Management Engineering from RPI under the Company's Educational Sponsorship Program.

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#### Editorial . . .

"Who's a competitor?" you ask. We say, "The Sprague Electric Company is, for one."

The Sprague Electric Company competes with other companies for a share of the country's business. Over the years it has worked hard to gain a lead in our field. One reason for our favorable position today is our success in adapting to changes in customer demands. The company was not content merely to continue to produce our old products. We added new products, pleasing a greater number of customers and growing in size as we did so.

"And each Sprague employe is a competitor, too."

Whether you realize it or not, you are in competition with someone doing a similar job in another company. The whole of any company's efforts is simply the sum of each individual employe's efforts. So, someone you never saw or heard of is working away, challenging your day's work with his. He is working for the success of his company as you work for yours.

"What is the reward for good competition?" We say, "Job security."

What is the reward for good competition: We say, "Job security." Competition is a continuing process. Yesterday's successes are now only foundations for future progress. New research and development, new management methods, efficient and skillful work by all in the company make a progressive, competitive-minded company . . . a good competitor who wins and holds public support of its products. Good competition brings a down-to-earth reward for both company and employe. It can keep our company in business and to us it can bring—job security.

### "Bernie" Gilmore Named Foreman



The Company recently announced the appointment of Bernard Gilmore as foreman of its Solid Tantalum — Pilot Plant. He accepts the position after having served as a

having served as a supervisor in the same department since 1956. He joined Sprague in 1949 and has additionally served as a Supervisor in Tantalum and F. P. Assembly.

"Bernie" is a native of North Adams, attended local schools, and graduated from Drury High School in 1945. Upon release from the United States Navy in 1949,, he entered Hartwick College in Onconta, New York.

He is married to the former Flavia Gianquinto, and they have four sons.

#### John Winant

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ing with the Marine Corps Reserve, Before joining Sprague, Mr. Winant was with the Associated Press and with Winant and Company, and Lockwood and Winant, wholesaling firms in New York.

He has been active in EIA affairs since 1955, having served as vice chairman of its Manpower Committee for two years, and during the past year as Vice Director of the Industrial Relations Department.





(Left) Grand prize winner Bernie Belding, Jr. receives a fishing rod and spinning reel from Cedo Remillard. Bernie topped all catches for the day with a 13 oz. Rock Bass. (Center) The proudest of them all for the smallest pumpkinseed (1/8 oz.) is Sandy DeGraff, daughter of Dorothy DeGraff of Shift Registers. Judges Cedo Remillard, Machine Shop; Jim Blair, Ceramics; John Davis, Filters; and Bernie Belding, Research and Engineering, all of Marshall Street, look on. (Right) Asking for a yardstick to measure his catch is Keith Ruhman. Cedo Remillard gets the tape measure ready. Keith is the son of Irving Ruhman of the Network Lab.



Displaying the hip boots he won for the heaviest perch (91 oz.) is Eddie Bourdon, Jr., son of Ed., Sr. Warehouse. Making the presentation is Bernie Belding,

An estimated crowd of some 300 Sprague Employes and their families thronged to Hoosac Lake in Cheshire last month to

attend the 3rd Annual LOG Fishing Derby.

The youngsters showed the adults "how", as they walked off with six of the eight prizes awarded. Leading the list with the grand prize for the largest fish was Bernard Belding, Jr., son of Bernie, Sr. of the Research and Engineering Department, with a  $13\frac{1}{4}$  oz.,  $10\frac{1}{8}$  inch long Rock Bass. Other prizes went to Eddie Bourdon, Jr., son of Ed. Sr., of the Warehouse, Marshall Street, for the largest Perch, 9½ ozs. Gerry Dubois of Time Study for the largest Pickerel, 10½ ozs. Bill Kacjawski of Maintenance for the largest Bass, 11 ozs. Bernie Bourdon, son of Ed, of Warehouse for the largest Pumpkinseed, 10½ ozs. Lance Davis, son of John Davis, Filters for the largest Blue Gill, 6 ozs. daughter of Dorothy, of Beaver Street for the smallest Pumpkinseed, 1/16 of an oz., and to Teddy Briggs, grandson of Maude Gingras of Metallized Paper for the smallest Blue Gill, 12 ounces

In addition, gifts were distributed to all children under 15

The unprecedented success of the affair is attributed to John Davis and his able assistants, "Cedo" Remillard, Bernard Belding, Jim Blair, Ray Belding and Lou Vincelette.



Hip boots and all, Billy and Ricky Cyrulik wait hope fully for the slightest tug on their line. Just as hopeful is sister Esther of Sales.



On their way to the shores to drop their lines are Stephen, Michael, and Colin Sacco. Mrs. Sacco of Industrial Oils.



Waiting patiently for a big strike are Ralph and Jacqueline Standing by are Tony Sacco and Boisjolie. Hopefully looking on is Dad, Ralph, of Dry Equipment Engineering.



Making preparations for a big afternoon of fishing are Donald and Yvonne Roy. They are assisted by their parents Don of Western Electric and Gladys of Tantalum.

#### Sports . . by LOU ZITER

#### SPRAGUE SOFTBALL

The Sprague interplant league is rapidly nearing completion of its first half, and is presently proving to be of keen competition, as the hold for first place has been like a revolving door. The Control Lab, defending champions, were off to a good start, only to have the door slammed shut both the Management and Maintenance ball clubs in successive weeks.

The surprising start made by the Magnetics team has also shattered, so from all indication it looks like a clos

battle will be on hand for the league leadership. Most clubs are balanced and many upsets have occurred. All games are now being played at Noel Field and some interesting and fine softball is taking place daily

#### HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL

The Northern Berkshire league ended, as predicted, with Pittsfield winning the title with a 11-1 record. Many upsets occurred this year and topping the list was Pittsfield's Ione defeat, that came at the hands of local St. Joseph's. Incidentally this is the second successive year that St. Joseph's has upset the champions.

Sparking the Pittsfield ball club to

its distinguished record were the trio of Lew Pia, Frank Constanzo and Ken King, Pia and Constanzo, both pitchers, had seven and four victories respectively without defeats. Ken King led his team with a sparkling 417 batting average and had a total of eleven RBI's, both of which were

tops in the NBL.

The City title went to Drury, who defeated their arch rival, St. Joseph's in both games.

The surprise team in the league was Williamstown, who ended with a 6-6 record to tie Drury for third place laurels. Williamstown displayed some good ball. Coach Fran Cardillo and his boys should be congratulated for the fine job they have done.

Some of the interesting facts that occurred in the NBL this year were that Lew Pia, Frank Constanzo, both of Pittsfield, and Lou DeMayo of Williamstown, all pitchers, went undefeated. Top pitcher would un-doubtedly have to be Lew Pia for he had a total of seventy-three strike outs while issuing only four bases on balls. Final Standing Won Lost Pct.

Pittsfield	11	1	
St. Joseph (P)	8	4	
Drury	6	6	
Williamstown	6	6	
St. Joseph (N.A.)	4	8	
Dalton	4	8	
Adams	2	O	

#### HIGH SCHOOL TRACK

Once again the Drury Track team compiled an excellent record, despite the fact that they were dethroned as Western Massachusetts Champions, after holding the title for the past two vears.

Drury's only defeats came at the hands of a well balanced Springfield Tech squad. The first defeat came early in the season and the second in what proved to be Drury's unsuccessful bid to retain the Western Mass. title. Coach Rudy Benedetti's team should, however, be congratulated for the fine season they had



Drury High Baseball Team -- Front row: Morin Preite, Bob Meaney, Bruce Gallagher, Dick Doran, Ronnie Grynkiewicz, Ed Lowe. Back row: Charlie Bushika, Fred Koloc, Bob Bellard, Josie Girardi, Red Davies, Tom Kirby, Larry Torchia, Coach John Del Negro.

Note—A photograph of the Adams: High Baseball Team is not available.



St. Joseph's High Baseball Team -- Front row: Jim Meaney, Carl Chalifaux, Bill Ostrander, Bill Dyson, Ronnie Pietras, Joe Cain. Back row: Father Sampson, Jack Swift, John Daub (Mgr.), Ed Gallese, Dick Bergeron, Tom Pietro, Larry Beaudreau, Don Marlowe, Bill Caporani, Bill Cote, Frank Rose, Corkey St. Dennis, Tom Fitzgerald, and Coach Matrango.

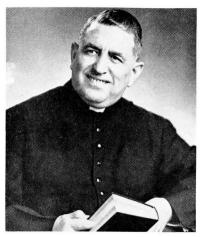


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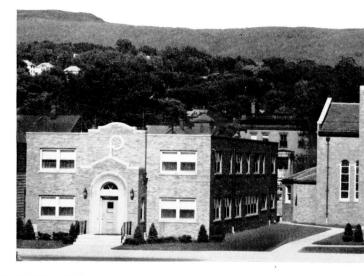
Williamstown High Baseball Team -- Front row: B. Meekin, H. Lewis, D. Leete, P. Winton, J. Gravel, H. Hart, S. Steele, C. Shephard. Middle row: M. Ganjemi, L. De-Mayo, F. Morandi, C. Davis, D. Bourdon, W. Robbins, C. Nagy, P. Lepesquer, F. Cardillo, Coach. Back row: D. Noel, H. Beverly, D. Huse, H. Thompson, T. Stokes, W. Zoito, G. Madden, M. Ronney, J. Barrett.

# The New St. Ar

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Reverend Richard C. Roccapriore, Pastor



CEREMONIES held June 13, 1958 saw over 50 years of prayers answered as the people of St. Anthony's parish dedicated their new church. Ground breaking ceremonies held over two years before on April 22, 1956 began the activity pictured here.

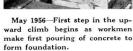
began the activity pictured here.

The highlight of the modern structure is a beautiful marble altar imported from Italy. Other features include: a 25 bell carillon, 3 small altars, a sound-proof nursery and mother's room and a loud speaking system. It has a seating capacity of 700 people.



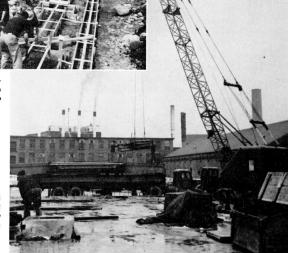
April 1956—Preliminary work begins in preparation to dig hole for the foundation. This area once housed apartment buildings and small retail stores.







January 1957—The end to an 8 month steel strike brings the long awaited steel to the concrete slab upon which the floor will later rest.



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# THE TRADING POST



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A View of the Main Altar



Anthony De Pace of New York City was the architect and the Daniel O'Connell & Sons concern were the contractors for the \$500,000 structure. The St. Anthony's parish, which has a present member-

The St. Anthony's parish, which has a present membership of 3,000 parishioners, started services before the turn of the century in the basement of the Notre Dame Church. It later moved in 1906 to quarters on Holden Street which it has occupied prior to moving to its new Marshall Street location. The parish has future plans for a nun's convent and a school in the immediate area of the church.

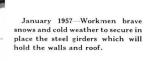


June 1957—Rear view of the construction just before roof is installed. One year of work is yet remaining and took place for the most part on the interior.



April 1957—One year from breaking ground most of the steel is in place and work has begun by bricklayers on the outside walls.

April 1957—Work progresses rapidly as marble to form the beautiful facade is put in place. Steel girders for the bell tower to the right of the church had yet to be installed.





#### DEPARTMENTAL **NEWS**







1958 June Graduates from Drury High School—(left): Bob Dami, son of Frances Dami of the Filter Dept. Marshall St., (center) Beverly Ann Andrews, daughter of Marion, Hi-Reliability, Beaver St. In September, Beverly will enter the Providence Bible College to major in Christian Education, (right) Peter "Buz" Jobin, son of Pete, foreman of the Paint Shop and Emma of the Shipping Department. "Buz" will be entering son of Pete, foreman of the Paint Shop and Emma of the Shipping Department. Valley Forge Military College in Wayne, Pa. in the fall.



#### High Quality

by Betty De Mers

First of all we would like to say hello to Vickie Bissaillon who is still in the hospital. We hope you will be back with us soon...Welcome to the new girls in our department, glad to have you with us... Sorry to see Kay Romeo leave us so soon. So long to Ida Hurlbut who is leaving to wait the arrival of the stork...Good luck to Jackie Mahar who was married to Victor Gay of the Clorinol Dept. on May 10th. Loads of good wishes and congratulations to Jennie Gancarz who became the mother of an 8 lb. 10 oz. bouncing baby boy, on May 10th...Ida Hurlbut celebrated her first wedding anniversary on June 15 and Ann Fortin celebrated her 30th on May 27th. many more happy years for both... Another new addition has been added to Senecals Zoo. This time it is a heifer bull and 10 baby turkeys. Oh well girls if things get too rough we can all return to Lil's farm. So long till next month. See you at the farm.

#### Networks and L.C.C. Line

by Irene Pigeon Hi everyone. We are all sorry to sce Angie Pontier, Eleanor De Santy, Pauline Dean, Bart Mayo, Marceline Poirot, Stella Maledeo and Francis Gannon leave us on lay-off. Hope you will be back working with us soon. Also at this time we are glad to see Stella Charbonneau and Lescarbeau back working on the line. Nice to have you back girls...What would happen at afternoon break if Clem Mossolani and Mike Gamari would stop arguing? One never knows who is the winner in the end... Very nice of you Frank Goloski for thinking of us girls. We all enjoyed the chocolates, Frank . . . Evelyn Morton spent her vacation at home, as also did Mary Cook . . . What happens to Clem Mossolani's pipe every now and then? It just seems to disappear, but no matter where it goes, Clem always seems to find it sooner or later. Ag and Howard Houghton celebrated their 36th wedding anniversary June 14th. Congratulations to both of you...Also on June 14 Roz and Louis Vincelette's son Paul celebrated his 14th birthday. Incidentally Paul is Ag's nephew. Happy birth-Paul is Ag's nephew. Happy birth-day Paul . . Yours truly once again is being "maid of honor" at the wedding of Florence Martel a former co-worker from the Bathtub Assembly of Beaver Street. Good luck to Florence... Tom O'Neil is busy these days traveling from college to college trying to find the proper one in which to enroll his daughter Barbara, who graduated from Williamstown High June 11th.

Best of luck to you Barbara ... Dolores Davis and husband Wayne attended graduation exercises at West Point, Y. where her brother Cadet Charles A. Miller, who was formerly employed in the Formation Dept. 1953, graduated on June 4th. On June 14th Dolores and husband Wayne again traveled to West Point to attend the wedding of Lt. Miller to Capt. Kathryn Koenig, A.N.C. which took place at the Holy Trinity Chapel. Good luck to both of you

#### K.V.A. Stockroom

by Ace Samia
We would like to welcome Russ Yarter into our department. Hope you make a lot of friends Russ, with vour good nature you can't miss...The Sprague LOG had their annual fishing derby recently at Cheshire Lake. Prizes were won by many including Marie Dargie's two children and her Everyone had a good time. husband.

Walt Kondej was down to see his favorite team play and came back all smiles cause they're in first place—the New York Yankees, of course...
Harold Brown was on vacation and he and his son fished at Lake Cham-plain and other fishing areas and both had tremendous catches...See you next issue!

#### Industrial Oils Cover Assembly

by Isabel Witherow and Ann O'Dell Our congratulations go to Red ewitt, who was recently promoted. He is working in High Quality. Well baseball is sure underway, although some men don't know enough to quit while they're ahead, right, Guido?...Lil Flaherty has a good time during baseball season, I guess all three of her sons are real good at it. It sure takes a lot out of Lil though, even if her pitching is pretty good Well, before closing we all want to say we are glad to see our co-worker Susan Landy out of the hospital and on her feet again...So long until the next issue.

#### Industrial Oils

by Ermina Sweeney

Francis Delisle is sporting a new look in sweaters...Welcome back to Rena Braman, Jeannette Trela and Rita Fournier... The girls all enjoyed a delicious supper at Jeannette's house. Her little boy gave an Elvis Presley dance that sure can beat Elvis...Ann Sacco and children are enjoying their new daughter and sister...Millie Kearns is enjoying a two week vacation in Florida.

#### Sample and Small Order

by Celeste Talle So long to Helen Murphy and Albina Burdick who were laid off. Would rather say Welcome Back, we miss you...Lucky Frank Goloski hit the jack pot. Good for you Frank. Thank you for the delicious chocolates. Yours truly had fun passing them around. No one gave a thought to their diet or how many calories each chocolate contained...Alfred Folino, as happy as a lark, is all Avenue. Al spent his weeks vacation painting and moving ... Madge Taft is spending her two weeks at home doing odds and ends and resting. Come back Madge smiling and looking as chic as ever...Annette Hinkle looks like a lonesome little petunia working all by herself. (Patience Annette) work will be picking up and our coworkers will be back to keep you company...Mary Critella will spend her week's vacation planting her vegetable garden... Yours truly had a grand time at the Springs with the girls from the L.C.C. line and Networks. Next stop — Crane Inn!

#### Sandia

by Bob Boucher

Hello again. Everything here is about the same. Charlie Cyr bought new car which he is very proud of. He keeps his eye on it all day. Don't blame you. Hub caps cost a lot of money these days. Well there's lots of talk about big fish around here. haven't seen anything bigger than a sardine and that was in a can. So there you are. Pat DeMarco got a nice car but that hub cap that is missing sure doesn't improve it any. Well, bye now.

#### Network Rolling

by Millie Conroy

Hi everyone. Not many of us left
but we are hoping for better things to come. Mary Cooney spent a week of her vacation at home recuperating from a week end spent in New York Mary says, "that's really living" Oh for a month of such luxury Dorothy Lowe and Mary Cooney have been transferred, but just around the corner, and we're hoping it's only for a little while....Lydia Spooner is on nights and misses everyone, ecially her side kick Esther Poplaski. Lydia also misses being able to see her son play in the Little League games, so she's hoping we get a big rush and need her real soon...Dottie Baker supplied us all with collie puppies and the big question of the day is who has the girls and who has the boys.

#### **High Quality**

by Mae O'Neil

Welcome to Julia Morin, Esther Prendergast, Merida Baldassarini, Angie Granger, Sadie Mercier and Maude Waska. Hope you can put up with us girls...By the time this goes in to press Catherine Bergeron will be on her way to Iowa to visit her daughter and family for two weeks, and Nina Rondeau will be in Altmar, New York taking care of her new grandchild... Margaret Malone had the pleasure of going to Holyoke recently with the Retreat of St. Francis Church...Welcome to our new foreman, Leonard Lewitt . . . Well Folks, guess that is all for now. you next month.

#### Industrial Oil C

by Bernie Tatro and Dot Shea Well June is busting out all over, and your pee-ricking reporters are back again. It hardly seems a whole month has passed us by once again. Things are about the same in No. 679. nothing much ever changes here. Tubby Bianchi finally received his long awaited top for his convertible. We had a welcome visit last week from Evelyn Davis who is on leave, she came to show us her new son Danny who was two weeks old at the time. . . Harold Shore also visited the room recently. He still has that old bounce in his walk, and looks hail and hearty. Keep it up Harold... Congratulations go out to Tubby Bianchi on his recent promotion to general supervisor. Hope you like it Tubby, and the best of luck goes with it. Bessie Paradis has moved from her home on Rand Street to her summer home in Savoy...We hope that our Foreman John Muldowney enjoys his vacation. Also Bill Drury and Lillian Trombley are taking their vacation...You sure can tell that summer is here, just to convince you, here are a few things we have noticed in our Department:

Bessie Paradis — has a new summer hairdo

Bill Drury—has Spring Fever Dot Shea-has a new pair of white shoes



Pictured above is Carolyn Scavo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Scavo, and niece of Lucy De Pari of Western Electric, Marshall Street. Carolyn is a student at Bay Path

Clem Alt—new summer sport jerseys Dot DeSanty—new summer cottons Lil Trombley-baseball fever Mary Santelli—the gleam in her eyes Rose Vareschi - replacing winter drapes for summer gay prints

Lil Babcock-more wedding cakes to make Vivian Montgomery—Discussing ruffled curtains and a new linoleum

Bernie Tatro-thinking about swimming Louis Lillie-weeding his garden and

picking his strawberries We want to welcome back to the

department Clem Alt who is back with us after his recent operation. Sorry to see Mertie Bishop, Eileen Leeming, Florence LaFreniere, Mary Provost, Walter Martin, Henry Simon and Bernard Barbeau get laid off. to see you all back soon. Well I guess that is all for this month.

by Evelyn Jones Vacations are with us again. Gerry Giusti is spending hers at home, housecleaning and preparing for her daughter's wedding. Gerry and Irelle Garello are new mamas-in-law. Our best wishes to both of the young couples...We miss you Rocky Tri-marchi. Please come back on days. ... Mary Satko has planted so many flower seeds this spring that we are sure she will be selling flowers by the end of the summer. She got so excit-ed that she dreamed she was planting Hershey bars...Hello Kate Patter-

son, who is on the sick list. Hope to you on the Boston Store corner real soon...Dot and Alex Baker have bought a farm on Florida mountain. We think Carrie Wojtaszek must be selling our sections. She comes in each day for "just one more"... Connie Bush received some money for Mother's Day to spend as she wished. She bought 2 pair of lovely unmentionables. Bea Marsh spent her vacation ironing and housecleaning ... Eleanor Alibozek has a new fireplace in her backyard. We'll all be down for hot dogs soon... Olympia Gajda has moved into her new house. Hope you are as happy as you were in your old one Eleanor Alibozek says that it's not the same and, many times she wishes she were back in her old one Did everyone see those lovely African violets that Sarah Brown brought in? She certainly has a green thumb. We are glad to hear that Irene Perreault's Siamese cat is feeling fine since its trip to the hospital Lucille Miller was very pleased with the May basket given to her by her co-workers...We wonder who Jim Higgins is looking for as he gazes out the window mornings. . . If you'd like to hear an interesting story about a thermos bottle, ask Rita Rosch... We are very pleased to hear that Joey Pitoniak has won a trophy for boxing and his sister Pat has made



This handsome lad is Arthur Fournier, Jr., son of Rita, In-dustrial Oils Rolling, Brown Street, and police officer Arthur Fournier.

the honor roll at her school in Dalton ...We called on Francis Pitoniak recently to see her new daughter, Martha. She is a little doll... Rachel Champney was enjoying her original hat with its long feathers until she met another one on the street. You're right, the same hat...We thought we'd seen most everything but as we strolled down River Street. there was Laura Roy mowing her lawn with a pair of scissors. She has two big blisters to prove it...Helen Williams believes in looking very things. Her son's girlfriend asked her to look at her suit in a box. The next day at work Helen couldn't find her glasses. That's right, she looked so close, she lost her glasses in the box and the girl had to return them later that day...It was very quiet around machine No. 6. We couldn't figure out what had happened, then we learned that Flo Dupre had lost her voice...Helen Williams liked her collie puppy so well that she fed her pablum with a spoon. Well, it's time for me to hang up for now. See you again next month and let you know the latest.



#### Metal Clad Finish

Wanda Wandrei and Fran Filip June Barnhart spent a week-end in New Hampshire recently. Fran Filip

attended a banquet in Boston held in honor of John Kennedy, our senator. Mike Stefanik fished all the streams he could find on his vacation. Cazz Ziemlak, our foreman, was supposed to plant a big garden during his week off and didn't . . . Alma Kent admired her garden and just rested . . . Taking advantage of the long Memorial weekend were Sophie Embry, who journeyed to Syracuse to visit friends and Anne Davison who enjoyed a ball game in Boston would like to welcome Jack McKeon. Glad to have you back Jack . . . Congratulations to Frances Roy on becoming a grandmother for the fifth A granddaughter was born on time. A granddaughter was born on May 13th...Agnes Fitzgerald the reporter of Impregnating is out on leave, and since we know everyone there, I thought I'd pinch hit and report some of their news. Agnes, by the way, is visiting friends and relatives in England. Lucky her. Chuck Roy, their supervisor is con valescing favorably after an operation and we hope to see him around soon... Talk about nervous fathers, well Larry Lewis had everyone in the department pacing the floor with him, but it all turned out alright and he is now the proud father of a bouncing baby boy, born May 23rd.

Hi-Reliability

by Ruth Kelley

A hearty welcome to Helen Pietras who has joined forces with us. Hope you enjoy working with us. Claire you enjoy working with us. Claire Cantoni who was out on sick leave is



Pictured at the retirement party in her honor is Anne Kirby. Pictured with her are her sister-in-law, Mrs. Kirby, and William Mendell. Standing are Edith Teichert, Don Roy, supervisor, and Cecile Magnani. Ann was presented with a wrist watch and a corsage. She has been employed by the Company for 16 years, 15 of which were spent in the Western Electric Dept. All of her many friends wish her luck and happiness in the years

now back to work looking very "streamlined." Just one thing we would like to know Claire? How did they ever manage to keep you quiet during your 8 day stay in the hospital? Dot Saulnier is also back to work after her vacation spent at home. Congratulations to our Bill Delisle who became a "papa" to a fine little baby boy on May 24, and we are happy to hear that his little girl who was in the hospital with pneumonia is now at home and fully recovered. Girard was the lucky winner of a parakect recently and being in a quandary over what to name it, held "Name the Bird" contest. The girls all cooperated and Lorraine after much deep thought and deliberation decided on the name "Twinkle suggested by Shirley Brown...Har-riet Michaels is eagerly awaiting the arrival of her daughter, son-in-law and two grandchildren who are due to arrive home from Germany any day

#### Paper Rolling (Beaver Street) by Che-Che and Chuck

We take this opportunity to welcome back to the department, Lill Crandall, Ann Griswold, Emma Pudlo, Carrie Murach, Mary Collier and Ines Franceschetti, we sure did miss all of you....Mary Troia had a very enjoyable trip to New York the other She saw Around the World in 80 Days and ate at Leone's. You got the tops in entertainment and food: that's really making out Mary...James Zabek spent his vacation at home, but managed to get in a few rounds of golf. Joe Swistak is the proud owner of a 1958 Chevvy station wagon, practically everyone in the department will be assured of sitting room on those noon time trips downtown...Chuck Mulcahy is back in his old form as pitcher for the Control Lab. What is it three losses now, Chuck?

#### **Special Products**

by Florence Clough

Since this is a new department it seems strange to say farewell to one of our co-workers already, but we had to say just that to Virginia Spencer who had been secretary to David Peck This means welcoming Veronica (Nicky) Moloff to take her place. We hope you will like working with us, Nicky...Congratulations are in us, Nicky order for Robert Russett. Bob has just become the proud father of a baby girl on May 12th...Clare Pedercini was heard to say that it seems as though she never left the country at all. Clare spent a month abroad visiting her brother in Ger-There were also side trips made to Rome, Italy, Paris, France, Switzerland. On her flight, she visited Spain and Portugal.



Posing at the Women's Bowling banquet were Chuck Wilson, Marilyn Daub, George Senecal, Josey Magnifico, Ethel Sakowski, Helen Bryce, Ceil Mikuszewski and Amelia Koza, all members of the C.I. Goslins team. Chuck and George were guests.

.We would also like to welcome rank Torchia to the Special Products Division. It took you a long time to make the move from Marshall to Beaver Street but you won't be sorry and we are very glad to have you.

#### Hi-Reliability - Beaver

by Marion Andrews

Now that we are into the month of June it is graduation time for some of our mothers' children. Chris Pugliese's daughter graduates from Mark Hopkins. Mary Konieczny daughter graduates from Adams High and Marion Andrews daughter from Drury . Alice Bonneville is mighty proud of her daughter, Joan Marie (R.N.) who graduates from Boston College with a Bachelor of Science Degree...Sure are glad that Marion Andrews, Peg Decoteau and Florence Carsno are out of the hosp-... We wish Lilly Bush a speedy recovery from her operation and hope to see her back with us soon . . . Would like to wish belated birthday wishes to Leah Gamache, Edward Konopka, Angie Downs, and Elsie Andrews. Dot Davis's son, Ronald will be saying "I Do" on June 28th to Marie Konopka. Dot sure missed the help of Peg Decoteau with those crossword puzzles during Peg's recent sickness...Pauline Beliveau has gone all out for her new parakeet. It seems that she has bought so many toys she's thinking of getting a bigger cage... Evelyn Truehart went to visit her son,

at Lincoln University Penna. The occasion was and Night. She sure enjoyed herself The occasion was Parent's We think Sally Little sure looks cute since she started wearing those cute skirts...Mildred Sherman and her husband have bought themselves a house trailer and will be commuting between Clarksburg and Hoosac Lake weck-ends....Leah Gamache's daughter, Nancy Sullivan, will be married June 14th to Eugene Lussier. Lucille Racine and Mary Duprea had their long tresses cut for the new short hairdo...Chris Pugliese had one week's vacation at home and will take her second week to visit her son .Viola Tanguay in Chicago, Ill.. spent Memorial Day week-end plus her week's vacation with her daughter. Norma McQuarrie at State College, Penna. She also saw her new granddaughter, Karen...Carolyn Chalifoux is trying to find a way to keep up her safety glasses.

#### Pulse Transformer

and Jean by "Stretch"

Vacation time is here again and it seems that Margaret Cutler and Dottie Daunais believed spring cleaning "was most important". Maude Jones went cruising to Bermuda for two weeks. We all envied her. Lena Kerr spent a quiet week of rest at .Clara Belleau believes in traveling for a hair cut - 38 miles in It looks very nice, Clara. Best of luck to Larry Hobson who recently left for Visalia, California to work in the Sprague plant located there...Get-well wishes Rolland, daughter of Bill Rolland, who is recuperating from a recent

#### Small Order Surplus

by Rita Sulli

Leo Moreau one of the supervisors has returned following a much needed vacation, which was speat on various motor trips with his family including one to Saratoga Park Mary Bator spent Sunday, June 1st with relatives in Manchester, Connecticut. She also got a big thrill watching her little granddaughter see her first parade on Memorial Day. Margaret Bridgman is taking a much needed vacation at home and we'll bet you'll sure enjoy the rest Margaret Tony Tassone spent the holiday week-end in Boston enjoying the base ball games...Josephine Rosenburg started her two weeks vacation June 2nd and enjoyed it with her husband who is also having vacation from Coca Cola Company in Pittsfield...Jo and Fran recently spent a week-end in Foxboro, Mass. as chaperons for the Williamstown Music Club...Laurette Lyons is also having her vacation with her husband and three children . . Patricia Joseph accompanied her mother Mary Senecal to Middletown, Conn. for the holiday week-end to visit Pat's sister and family...Hazel Martel and husband spent the holiday in Holyoke, Mass. with their daughter and family...Rita Sullivan and husband Jack spent the week-end in Glens Falls and Lake George, N. Y. They also motored to Cathedral in the Pines recently in Rindge, New Hampshire...About two thirds of the girls in our department attended the smorgasbord supper at Florida, Mass.



school on Saturday, May 24th. Everyone forgot their diets with all Mabel Keller is that delicious food... proudly displaying colored snapshots to us of her rock garden in Adams. We don't blame you Mabel for feel-ing proud, it has taken a lot of time and hard work.

#### Film Products

by Nina Underwood

Musical talent seems to be a family trait with the O'Neils since David recently took part in the musical sponsored by St. Joseph's School. Michael O'Neil played the drums in the Elementary Band at the Spring Concert...Bertha 'Moreau and her daughter Florence and Family visited relatives in Quebec over the Memorial Day week-end . . . Nina Underwood and husband motored to Stowe and St. Albans, Vt....Vernon Decoteau, son of Ida Decoteau was recently confirmed at Notre Dame Church in Adams...Gladys Sorel had her second granddaughter. The happy parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clark...Bonny Crockwell re-cently motored to Boston, Mass.

#### Metal Clad Assembly

by Lillian Gainer and Ada Blair Hello once more from Ada and Lillian. To plunge into this month's departmental news, we shall start off with the gay and colorful stork shower given on May 23rd at the home of MacDonald for our own Dorothy Carden, one of our supervisors. Games were played prizes were won by Margaret Gyurasz Agnes O'Grady, Alice Roberts, Carden, Dorothy Blondin, Edna Michalski, Corinne Button, Beverly Edna Daignault, Alda Roy and Dot Spra-gue who was a double winner. We so enjoyed the lively conversation and laughter of Yvonne Fountain, Marion Marceau, Virginia MacDonald, Theresa Dube, Mary Blair, Jerry Bessette, Pauline Barrett, Lillian Gainer (may one of your reporters be allowed to toot her own horn a bit), Iosie Johnson, Rose Bard, Alyce French and our two former inspectors Helen Bryce and Louise Bass. A most delectable luncheon was served by the two hostesses, Marge Barry and Maria MacDonald who certainly how to entertain. received many lovely gifts and quite a surprise gift from "Steffi" Stefanopolus now in New Hampshire and is this going to come in handy, Steffi. But the real queen of that party was Miss Hilda MacDonald, ten month old daughter of Maria and Clyde. Pauline Barrett was happy to receive a phone call from her daughter Zane Charron who lives in Warwick, Rhode Island informing her mother that she, her husband, and their two children were going to motor up for a week-end visit....There is just no holding down our stock clerk Ada Blair who starts her two weeks and a day vacation just after the Memorial Day week-end . . . If anyone is wondering who the fisherman is that stands so patiently every noontime along the brook just above the Beaver Street I suggest you ask Bernie O'Neill . . . Ann Canzano is recuperating just splendidly at home from her recent throat operation at the local hospital. Glad that Margaret Fitz-

ed at present by those ever busy, ever adept hands of Ada Dion. Can that turn out the finished product. We were very sorry to bid a fond adieu to Marge Barry, Gladys Mc-Bride, Betty Chevalier, Ann Marriott. Ida de Grenier, and Sophie Bombardier who were laid-off though Tuesday has become a very "special" day for Edna Michalski, Beverly Daignault, Margie Barry. Better known as "The Tuesday Holiday" our three travelers just start that day off with enjoyment, fun, movies and gaiety in mind and seem to be doing alright on that score. When Edna and Marge start taking driving lessons run for the highest spot you can get to...Jerry Bessette is very proud of the fact that her son, David, is making his First Communion...Rose Blair re-ceived one of those famous "Cup Cakes" anniversary cake complete with a lighted candle in each cup cake from a few of the girls on her 24th wedding anniversary...Helen Baxter and her husband went down to Boston on May 26th to attend the graduation of their son Harry from Andover Newton Theological Seminary at which time he received a Bachelor in Divinity degree. He has also been graduated from the Eastern Baptist College in Penna., and is expected to be ordained in September into the Baptist Ministry at which time he will have been assigned a church and will receive the title Reverend...Sorry to learn of the illness of Frances Harrington's mother. Hope she is much improved and will make a speedy recovery. No one needs to tell us the happiness that Claire Daniels is experiencing with her new son Edward, Ir. Grace Dupuis had a most enjoyable week-end when she traveled down to the University of Mass, in Amherst recently to visit her son and daughterin-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Trahan who both teach at the University. You certainly can tell that our foreman Chuck is a family man, especially when you see a couple of little Mulcahy's tagging along after Daddy. Happiest first anniversary congratulations go out to our pert and saucy inspector, Marilyn Daub and her husband Roger who were married June 29th of last year ...Lillian Gainer got quite a kick out of the fishing catch of her five year old godchild, Debbie on her first venture into the land of Isaac Walton, where she was accompanied with "Uncle Frank". ... Hear tell that Mary Bennett has some great plans for enjoyment at the family's camp up in Searsburg...It appears as though Millie Curtis's 3 year old daughter has discovered a new beauty application in the form of a 3 pound can of Crisco. P.S. Millie was able to salvage half of that for the purpose of cooking... If you ever go over on Veazie Street and see a heated baseball game in play don't think that the Boston Red Sox have come to town, its only "Auntie" Pollone giving her nephew Ralphie and the other baseball leaguers one hard time trying to get her out of their game...Want to know who has all the beautiful ear-rings?

gerald's stay at the hospital only in-

volved observation and X-rays... Wondering what is being accomplish-





The proud "Papa" of these three children is none other than John Davis of the Filter Department. Lance 16, Susan Ann 12, and Carla Marguerite 6.









They are, William 12, David 10, Catherine 8,

and Bruce 6. Their uncle is Jim Lewis of the Tantalum Check Inspection, Marshall Street. All four are students at Brayton School. Viola Miller?... Let's all strive for a birthday to Yvonne Day on June back with us soon. We miss you

safe and enjoyable Fourth of July! 22nd.

#### Shift Register

by Helen Burdiek
We all send get well wishes to Ronnic Dean who was injured in an accident. Hurry back Ronnie we miss you...We also wish a speedy recovery to Catherine Scott's husband who has been seriously ill and is in hospital. Say Catherine was that you we saw eating your lunch by the Baptist Church? Why didn't you go a few feet farther and have a picnic in the park...Helen Scarbo has now joined the mother-in-laws club. Her daughter Fran was recentmarried to William Luscia. Mary Unis and Connie Lanoue each have been on vacation and already are back to work. Lucky girls... Your reporter again wants to thank all the Shift Register and Magnetic Samples for her two delicious birth-day cakes and all the gifts...We want to welcome Ray Blair to our department.

#### Check Inspection

by Helen Bryce First of all I would like to welcome

Ceil Mikuszewski back from her trip to Florida. You have a wonderful tan Ceil and from the snapshots we have seen of the hotel on the beach we can understand how you got so brown...Speaking of trips and vaca-tions Alice Senecal is taking one week of her vacation, and our foreman Chuck Wilson and family are motoring to the Pocano Mountains. you have good weather. .. On Sunday, May 25th your reporter and family journeyed to Randolf, Vt. where Bonnie Bryce finished second in the Vermont Dairy Queen Contest which made me very happy...Walter Gould and Ralph Blood are braving the wilds of Heartwellville on a fishing trip. Sure hope you eatch a lot of fish and all the stories you tell us aren't just tall tales...Ethel Sakow-ski just bought a new home in Savoy and is impatiently waiting for the day to come when she can move in. Good luck Ethel...Best wishes to everyone having a birthday or anniversary, and hope anyone on the sick list is feeling better.

#### Misc. Paper Assembly

by Adele Sclari
Our supervisor Jimmy Dean spent ne week of his vacation fishing. the way, Jimmy has taken over Raymond Blair's department, who has left us and is supervising in Shift Register. We all miss you Ray, it was very nice working for you, and we all wish you luck...We also miss Mary Zoito who has been laid-off and we hope she'll soon be back with us. In the meantime have a nice rest Mary...Helen Harrington spent the holiday in Windsor, Vermont with her son-in-law and daughter and the children...We are all hoping Anna Malloy's mother will soon be well again....Emma Busby and her husband spent the holiday weekend at Old Orchard...We also wish Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Busby a happy 35th wedding anniversary on June 14th; and a happy anniversary was celebrated on June 2nd by Mr. and Mrs. George Messina, their 13th . . . Happy



#### Maintenance

by Dorothy Buzzell

We want to welcome Mary Mazza. William Champagny, and Donald Bourdon to the Maintenance Department. We hope you will enjoy working with us. Bill Champagny and his wife Peg have returned from a trip to Washington, D. C. where they took in all the sights. We have several vacations during June in this department. Francis Piaggi and William Falcon, Jr. of the Electric Shop, Leo Dupuis and Adrian Poirot of the Carpenter Shop, and Thomas Quinton of the Millwright Shop. Peg Slater of the Maintenance Cost Control had charge of the 10th Reunion of the class of 1948 of Drury High School. The banquet was held The banquet was held at Petev Dinks...Mary Lewis of the same department was a bridesmaid recently for Rosalie Wandrei who was married May 31st. Rosalie works in the Blue Print department.

#### **Formation Control**

by Larry Clark
Country Kitchen bread has a new flavor these days, Fritz Millis has a new Ford Wagon for delivery.... "Pappy" Moon is hard at work with his gladiolis. . . Harry Arbour is greeting spring by sweeping off his favorite spot, his front steps. ...We hope to be welcoming back some of our men soon. News has been scarce these past few months as our working staff has been at a minimum. Hope to have more next month.

#### Lab Electronic Shop

by Betty Bramble Hobby brings happiness to North Eastern Mass. Mother — Dan Hally, who as a radioham, recently received from Mrs. L. E. McGranachan a letter of appreciation. Dan, who on Mothers Day and in the wee hours of the morning made it possible for her to talk with her son who is now stationed in Europe. Mrs. McGranachan was overjoyed...Your reporter recently went on a two week vacation down south.

#### Dry Tubular Finish

by Marjorie Hauptfleisch

Welcome to Ruth Edmonds, Anne Palmer, Leonore Tarnuzzer and Bernard Barbeau back after being laid off for a while . . . Congratulations to Isabelle Mazinski on becoming a grandmother. Her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack West, became parents of a baby girl on May 14th...We are all sorry to have our supervisor James Randall leave However we wish him the best of luck and good health in what ever his new job may be...Ruth Edmonds son, Gordon, has been chosen pitcher for the MTW Little League Team...We understand our sick people, Mary Veinotte and Anne Davine are on the mend and will be girls...Congratulations to Ivis Lewis on her new job. The best of every-thing to you Ivis, we all miss you... Welcome to Mildred Faustini our new desk clerk, it's nice having you with

by Barbara Belding and Marie Ziemlak

Congratulations to Doris and Allan McPherson on the arrival of a baby boy on May 19...We bid farewell to Ginger Mulcahy and Margaret Bobowiec. Ginger has left to await the stork and Marge has left to move to Somerville after her marriage on June 7th. Both girls were presented a purse of money from the girls in the office...Among the new faces in the office we find Carol Richards, Jeanette Clairmont and Eleanor Mill-Carol has taken over Eleanor Dobbert's position in the order office while Eleanor has replaced Ginger Mulcahy. Jeanette Clairmont is vorking for Paul Fern and Eleanor Millman is now secretary to Bill Carlton. We are really glad to have all you girls working with us... Margaret Bobowiec was feted to personal shower on May 25. Games were played and most of the prizes awarded to Barb Belding Margaret received many beautiful gifts. . Everyone in the office is admiring Marie Ziemlak's diamond which she received as an anniversary gift from her husband on May 25. It is really beautiful, Marie... Madeline Rougeau spent part of her vacation visiting Patty Bohl in Agawam. Patty was employed in the order office before her marriage.

#### **Formation**

by Harry Trombley
Bish Guyette needed worms recently to go fishing, but I noticed that Mike Costal did the digging...Bill Davis has all his buttons sewed back on. after popping them at the birth of his Danny is his name...Benny Lancto has finally shook off the gimp in one of his legs...Glad to see six or eight of the boys being recalled back to work...Art Hewitt is back after his recent vacation which he spent making fire places... I think if Louis Segala had gotten any closer to Chuck Senecal while he was painting, he would have been a part of the project...If Leonard Couch doesn't watch his calories he will be as wide as he is tall...Morris Jepson has returned from his vacation, which was spent at home.

#### **Quality Control**

by Ella M. Dunsmore

We were glad to have Nancy Kelly with us, even for such a short period; sorry to see her go but hope that she will be happy in her new department. Jean Koperniak has taken over Nancy's duties. . Harold Tourjee took a wellearned vacation. He filled in for Chuck Belouin during the latter's illness and doing two jobs made Harold a very busy man indeed... Don't ask Bev Hyndman to baby-sit. Baby-sitting just isn't her line.

Shipping

by Cecile Trudeau

Mildred Waterman went to Springfield over the weekend recently...

Margaret Jobin and Dolores Fletcher and son Gary spent a week-end at Lake Lauderdale...Ann Tremblay's daughter, Paula, took part in the recital given by Terri's School of Dance at Drury High School on June 7th...George Shurtleff and family went to Boston to visit relatives over the Memorial Day week-end. Emma Jobin's son and Peg Jobin's brother, Peter (Buzzie) Jobin graduated from Drury High School on June 15th. He will enter Valley e Military Academy, Wayne, this fall...Betty O'Dell and Forge family went to Grafton, Mass. over the week-end recently and spent a day shopping in Worcester. . . Alfred day shopping in Worcester. Bourdon went to Springfield for Memorial Day where he marched in the parade with Company K...Phil Talarico spent a few days in New York City attending the 27th Annual

office attended, but it took Lyle Blanchard's daughter Lee, to come home with a prize...We wish to congratulate one of our former coworkers on the birth of a baby son May 6. Congratulations Rosemary and Eric Williams...Joe Brewer is our proud father this month. His wife, Ruth, gave birth to a baby boy May I

...Bob McPherson, Ernie Purpura and Rita Chenail took vacations this month...Our get well wishes this month go to Bert Quirk who was out for three weeks with a broken wrist, and Chuck Blouin who spent a few days in the hospital for observa-We were glad to see them both looking better...Denise Beauchemin has a new beau these days. A certain Vinny" from Williamstown...Onc former co-workers, Boucher is doing nicely in the Air Force. She sent Force. She sent your reporter Eileen Brown, a letter asking about all of you. Jane would like to hear from all of her friends. Her address is A/3C Mary J. D. Boucher AA8113848; 3277th. Stu. Ron 3275th Tech. Tng. Lackland Air Force Base, Texas...Ginger Duda was a little depressed lately Texas...Ginger Her boyfriend, Al Stavaski, underwent a major operation at the Adams Hospital. We all hope he feels better

Elaine Decker and her boyfriend Don Jagiello bought a 1956 Ford, powder blue. But watch out, she still has that 1950 Mercury to hotrod in . . . Ronnie Hopkins took a vacation the first week of June and just went here and there, but no place in particular... Eileen Brown still hopes



Little sister Kathy and brother Gary help Betty Ann Tatro pose for a First Communion picture. They are the children of Cecile Tatro of Dry Rolling, Marshall Street.

Packaging Exposition held at the Coliseum...Alfred Bourdon has returned to work after a week's vacation...Peg Jobin spent her two weeks vacation visiting friends in Lowell, Leominster and Springfield.

#### **Production Engineering**

by Helen Tatro and Eileen Brown June is the month of Brides. We

dedicate this month to all the new brides and brides-to-be of 1958. We have two brides taking their vows this month. Dot Wolkowicz became Mrs. Lawrence Lauth on June 7th and Ruth Fountain is nervously waiting to become Mrs. Ray Wellspeak on June 24th. Congratula-tions to both of you and lots of luck... Both our newly-weds, Helen Tatro and Rosalie Randall have returned from their honeymoons. Helen and her husband traveled to Virginia, they also went swimming at Virginia Beach and went shopping in Richmond, along with the sightseeing Rosalie and her husband went to Niagara Falls. They went shopping and sight-seeing also . . . Nancy Kelly has been transferred from our office to Check Inspection. Even though she was with us for so short a time, we all miss her...The welcome mat is out this month for Ivis Lewis who has been transferred here from production. We hope you enjoy working with us. We also want to welcome Joan O'Neil who has been transferred here from our Brown Street office. It is good to have her back... The Fishing Derby was held May 17 at Cheshire Lake and many from our to see a baseball game at Yankee Stadium and not in the rain.

#### F. P. Ovens Cover Assembly

by Edith Fields and Marguerite Daub

Our girls have begun to return to work after being out for quite a while. Welcome back to Ellen LaFleche and Rose Mazzotta, it sure is nice to have you back...Our foreman Frank Gassett enjoyed his vacation recently. That's two weeks gone Frank, I hope It is a long time you enjoyed them. until next summer. There isn't much news lately, with only a few of us and nothing has been happening. Now with warm weather let's get together and make news...Mary Roberts did get to Florida for three weeks. Lucky girl. She came back as tanned as possible and very happy and rested. After seeing her we all want to try it.

#### Warehouse

by John Buchanan

Yankee Doodle Collins, navy veteran of Warehouse No. 15 whose interest in sports in the winter has run high in basketball, is now a mem-ber of the Machine Shop Softball Team, on which he holds the new and distinguished position of left tackle. For a young man of his size, his low blocks and his waist high tackles on fly balls are a sight to witness. persistent whistling of Yankee Doodle on and off the field, we figure, should give him another letter in — MUSIC APPRECIATION.

ing: Adeline Roy and Pearl Dubreuil

trout in her backyard; Daisy Kuczen-

ski-a carload of pencils, especially

red ones: Betty Jangrow-a sound-

proof room so that she can sneeze to her heart's content; Madeline Jan-

ones she wears now: Evelyn Prystas-

a nice long roomy highway all her

own (She just received her license)

Congratulations Evelyn; Josephine

Piantoni and Doretta Blanchard—more grandchildren, (with a little

help of course); Belle Mahar—a little

car to jump into whenever the phone

Bernadette Iones-a heaping jackpot to

make up for the ones she lost; Ray Lo-

pardo-All the motors he needs Anv-

one have a 1932 motor? If so, see Ray!

by Marion Manion

ing vacations of the year, goes to Gerry Macchia, who spent two weeks

at the Caribe Hilton Hotel in San

Juan, Puerto Rico. She reports that it was simply "fabulous" . . . Flor-

ence Gross and her husband spent

York City. They paid a visit to the 

graduation of his daughter Anne,

from Skidmore College on June 8th.

by Betty Jangrow

the A.C. Department who has always been interested in water sports, has decided to join the Yacht Club at

Boston. She spent the first week of her vacation learning to sail and the

last week visiting historic points of interest at our National Capitol at Washington, D. C....By the way Lil

Grande is making use of her drivers

and Lil sped away to Canada and attended the Beagle trials at Hem-

mingford, Canada at the Ta-I-Ho

Beagle Club. They stayed at the

Club House and enjoyed real Cana-

dian hospitality. Anyone spending

agree that the treatment the Ameri-

cans receive there is Royal...Jim

Lewis took advantage of the holiday

Rancatti spent a few days fishing at Lake Champlain while on his vaca-

Pearl Dubreuil to Boston the first

experience for both of us by car to that city. Sure had fun...We wel-

come Stella Zieminski to our Check

week-end in New York City.

Your

short time in Canada will

reporter accompanied

license as her first week end "Pete

Jerry Coutu. Check Inspector at

Congratulations and best

Check Inspection

Anne.

Memorial Day week-end in

Our vote for one of the most excit-

e other end of the room;

blouses like the

uski-more pretty

Personnel

Juan, Puerto Rico.

a drive-in theatre all their own! Phyllis Lapine—a lake filled with

#### Sprague International Ltd.

by Suzette Lemieux
Myrna and Don Harvey attended Clarksburg PTA banquet at Petey Dink's on May 24, and espy Ken and Joan Haskins making merry at a party of their own (Ken's Class of having their 10th anniversary reunion)...Let the cold winds blow, let it snow, Joe LoPresto has his white-with-red trim V-neck made by clever spouse Marilyn to keep him warm...The happy travelkeep him warm... ers are still at it. Marilyn Soha to Newport and Boston; yours truly to Worcester and Marlboro; George Ferran to Chicago; Ken Haskins around the golf links; and Mr. and Mrs. William Adams around the world...Bertha and Joe Richards had an enjoyable dinner celebration for their 20th wedding anniversary on May 18, as guests of their three sons. ...Welcome, Rose Richard, to the bespectacled gentry. Must admit those blue frames are attractive... Look for this name in the news-Donna Segala, who was in a Dance Recital on June 7...Jean Gardzina speaks "Cheer up, vacations are almost here" ... If it purrs like a kitten, it must be the new '51 dark blue Ford at the Richard's home...Yvette of the black and silver poodle variety, is lost, last seen on a fishing trip with Norm Davignon at Monroe Bridge. Continued searches fail to find her. If she does the cancan that's Yvette, please tell her Barbara Putthoff would like her to come home.



partment after his graduation from Williams College in June. We all enjoyed working with you and hope that you will also be happy with your new position across the hall from us. Mr. Podolsky and his wife spent a very enjoyable vacation in Hawaii. While there, they toured some of the islands and spent time at several beaches. . Esther Cyrulik recently spent the weekend in Amherst to attend the graduation exercises of her fiance from the University of Massachusetts. We understand she had a very nice time...Gloria Thibert spent the weekend in Boston last month attending the prom at Northeastern Uniwhere her boyfriend is study-I know she must have had a wonderful time...Bev Mondia was maid of honor at Jackie Langer's wedding. Getting into practice for yours Bev? From the snapshots we saw, you sure looked nice...Many of the girls have been wearing their new chemise dresses. Marion Segalla and Nora Scalise being no exceptions. They're real sharp Marion and Nora. And Kay Ryan also looked real sharp in her two cute chemise blouses that she has worn to work lately...See you all next month.

#### Tantalum

by Dolores Shaker

Vacation time is here again and vacations have been had by Gladys Mulcahy and Phyllis Lapine. Gladys was very lucky to have gone Colorado Springs, Colorado. While her daughter and son-in-law were



Mrs. William Lewis, the former Frances Scarbo, daughter of Helen Scarbo, Shift Register, Beaver St., was married on May 10th in the First Baptist Church. Pictured on the right is Lois Ann Scarbo, who acted as bride's maid for her sister Fran.

#### Test Equipment Engineering

by Mary Canton David Beighley walked into work same as usual, he thought, until one of his fellow workers noticed that David was wearing two different shoes On one foot he had his Sunday shoe and on the other his work day shoe. What day was it, Dave?...It's au revoir to Mary Mazza, Bill Champpagny and Donald Bourdon. three were transferred to Electric Shop. We are sorry to see you go and wish you luck in your new department. . Now and then we hear from our former workers with pleasure. John Begiebing who recently requested duty with the Armored Corps in Germany may be happy to know we all wish him the best of luck.

The latest word from John Adams is "Four score and seven years ago, chocolate milk was invented". some reason, the letter stopped at this point...Reward: To person or persons inventing a corn-bog pipe detector. Must have range of 10 detector. Must have range of 10 miles. Will solve serious morale problem in T. E. Dept.

#### Field Engineering

by Jackie Mikutowicz and Kay Ryan Our farewells go to James Galbraith who is leaving Sprague Electric. A stag party was given in his honor at Taconic Park where he was presented a film editing machine for We'll all miss you Jim, but we hope you will be happy with your new position and surroundings. Good luck to Jim Drummond who starts his new job in the Sales Deskiing, she was bathing in the pool below. What a life! Incidentally her son-in-law had the honor of being in second place in the ski meet while there...Phyllis Lapine, poor lass, spent her vacation moving, and occasional trips to nearby cities. We hope you had a little rest, anyway Phil ee who can grow our finger nails the So far it seems to be a tie. Happy birthday greetings go to Don Berger, Daisy Kuczenski and Yvonne

Have you ever heard of a nail Daisy Kuczenski and yours truly are really having a tug of war to huh Daisy?....Congratulations to Yvonne and Lawrence Carlisle on their 23rd wedding anniversary... Carlisle...If I were Santa Claus, I would bestow these gifts on the follow-





#### Sprague Products

Carolyn Lataif and Patricia Schabot Once again Sprague Products is on the newsstands. Here is a brief summary of the latest news that made headlines in Sprodco...The bells will be ringing this summer for Fran Baran, Barbara Simon and Priscilla Lots of luck on your life long vacation, girls...The welcome mat was put out for our very own Do (Herman) Hurd on her return from California. Glad to have you back on the job. Also for our newest victims who joined the force, Jackie Anderson, Al Bourassa, Joy Dempsey, Helen Scannell and Jean Lancto. Fran Kelly is once again able to get a good look at the world, this time thru her new rose colored glasses. Now Fran let's get those orders out On the sick list we have Peggy Brule and Anna Moors. Hurry and get well, we all miss you...The stork recently paid a visit to Sprague Products, leaving a girl for Ken Blanchard and boy for Connie Thomas. Congratulations!

#### Filters

Mr

by Ruth Haskins and Alice Monette

The Memorial Day weekend saw Tony Falco, a sergeant in the Tank Company, riding in the parade at Springfield. Frances Dami enjoyed a visit from her grandchildren who live in Conn. Martha Lewis enjoyed a family picnic at her daughter's camp at Hoosac Lake. Billy Currant started his vacation Memorial Day by leaving for Val D'ar, Quebec, Canada on a fishing trip. Bill is still l fisherman. Henrietta our No. Senecal took her grandson, age 2, fishing. George Paquin spent the holiday week-end working on his On June 8th he was the house installing President at American Club in Pittsfield. club includes members from Hampden, Franklin and Berkshire Counties On June 20th he will be chairman of Notre Dame P. T. Group's annual picnic at Trudeau's Grove...Tony Falco took a week of his vacation to get settled in the house he just purch-He says his children love the house and yard... James Sherry, son of Grace, and nephew of Marie Lemoine visited Marie in this department recently. James is a graduate of St. Francis Xavier and is working in the lab...Congratulations to loe Morin on the award he received for his suggestion. Speaking of Ioe Morin, a word about the bargain he got recently. Joe, a bachelor, saw a real good buy while shopping one week-Three towels in a package for a dollar. He says he nearly bought five dollars worth, the colors were so pretty. He is glad he didn't though when he arrived home and looked at them again he discovered they were 'Receiving Blankets'' . . . Jane Lanzo enjoyed her vacation at home this year...Altie Jillson and George Lord are also vacationing. George took his in sheer defense. After his recent baby sitting chores he wonders how parents manage to survive...Bertha Roy visited her sons Kenneth and

Robert and their families in Nashua,

Day...Congratulations to John Davis on his recent victory in the ICW

N. H. and Lowell, Mass, on Memorial

## Western Electric and

Misc Drys
by Emily Włodyka and Ella Genesi
Celeste Beliveau spent her vacation
in Canada... A cordial welcome is
extended to Stella Zieminski who is a new Check Inspector in our department...Both Arthur "Flash" Racette's sister and Dot Racette's niece made the headlines recently. Jeanne Racette (Flash's sister) per-formed on the "Teen Age Barn", Friday, May 23rd. She did a pantomime and did a wonderful job of it. Jeanne Dupras (Dot's niece) was chosen queen of the Senior Prom at St. Joseph's High School on May 23rd. Jeanne is a senior and is as pretty as a We don't blame both of you one bit, for being proud and happy about their good fortune...While we're on the subject yours truly, Emily, might as well put in her 2c worth too. Her brother-in-law Bene-dict Polak (husband of the former Ianet Włodyka, formerly of Pulse Transformer) was recently promoted at the G. E. He has been appointed appointed manager of Welding and Machine Shop operations....Say, Priscilla Greenlaw, how come you rate a fan. you didn't have it very long. About 15 minutes or so. What happened?

F. P. Assembly
by Grace McConnell

Some class that Roy Cook has in his new car, a grey and blue Olds-... Many thanks to Marion Sherman who wrote my LOG news last month and Dorothy Lewis who helped with the information. A job well done...Dorothy Lewis motored to Montreal, Quebec City, and Northern Maine on her vacation. Jack Faustini spent his at home... Hazel Russell spent the weekend of May 24th in Manchester, N. H. visiting her daughter Jean, who was a former co-worker...Rita Cooper went to Providence, R. I. where her son, Robert, was a Godfather to his new cousin, at his christening. Welcome back to Carole Barslow, who was laid off, and Harold Lowe, who was working on Brown Street. also pleased to have Bernadette Richmond back after two weeks of We wish Ivis Lewis good luck with her new job in the engineering office. . . We are glad to see that Dick Maynard hasn't forgotten his old friends and comes up to visit us from the Control Lab...Donna Marie Segala, five year old daughter of Frank Segala appeared on Freddie Friehoffer's show on June 17th.

#### Incoming Inspection

Ralph Fressola spent a week's vacation at home doing a few jobs that he has been putting off. We were sorry to hear that Shirley Ponti was in the hospital. The boys in the depart-ment wish her a speedy recovery for find quite a difference between looking at Shirley and Tom Martin



(1) Patricia Pellerin, age 7, received her First Communion on May 25th. Pat is the daughter of Mary of Paper Rolling, granddaughter of Florence Gaffey of I.B.M. and niece of Marlyn Gaffey of the Sales Dept., Marshall Street. (2) Posing for this family picture is George Coody and his family. They are (back) Jeanie, Michael, Alice, his wife; Carol, and Marilyn. (Front) Billy, Phyllis and Edward. George is employed in the Maintenance Dept., Marshall Street. (3-4) Pictured from left to right are 18 months old Karen Harris, and her 6 year old brother Gary. They are the grandchildren of Dot Sprague, Metal Clad, Beaver Street.

tired to her roomette, shared by Corky

Chenail, and bottles Cvr, at her usual

who is doing her work until she rewho is a weak of the second of like was getting up at 5:30 a.m.

#### Heat Seal

by June Rock

Many things have happened since my last writing in the LOG. Agnes Jolin has returned to work after a long siege of illness. We are all glad to see you and hope you are here to stay. Bea Boccagni was back with us for a short time and is now laid off again. .Gouch Morin went on vacation

May 18 for a week, ... Ken Suprenant can be seen most every night working around the house... Julia Cirillo was chief cook and bottle washer when her daughter Frances went to New York for the weekend...Bea Boccagni and myself went calling on one of our former co-workers Rachel Filiault, a nice time was had by all. Rachel showed us movies taken of all the gang in Heat Scal.

## Dry Rolling and Western Electric

by Nancy Harvey
Flash No. 1—Beauty Notes: Vishy (Alfreda Van Nordroff) Wisniowski (Alfreda Van Nordroff) Wisniowski has a new style hair cut. We haven't found a good name for it yet — but we have for her—"Alfreda"! Or would you prefer "Heidi"?... Flash No. 2: Vacation Time: Recent vacationists were Mary Esposito, Dorsey King, Charles Dean and Stanley Oslizlo. We know they all enjoyed their rest... Flash No. 3: Knick Knacks: Many of the girls An enjoyed time test. Thas No. Knick Knacks: Many of the girls have been picking up cute little knick-knacks for their homes lately. Not to be outdone, Clara Shakar decided to buy a few. She picked out a couple of boy dolls after careful scrutiny. Not realizing that you have to handle these fragile doo-dads with tender, loving care; she was really quite disturbed, when she opened the package up, and showed the girls her two headless boy dolls. Never mind Clara, we all learn the hard way Flash No. 4: Money Matters: Steve Murach is always losing money in the coke machine. However, Joe Allard walked by this same machine one day and nickels began flying out of the slot at him. He cupped his hands, and soon they were filled with the coins. He had hit the jackpot. Of course he contacted the coke man, and paid him off. What is the secret of his success?...But Joe wasn't so successful a few weeks later. He tried cutting his fingernails with his lawn mower, and ended up with a couple of chewed up fingers. Flash No. 5: Music — To everyone who has an ear for really good music, it would be well for you to watch with interest the future growth and development of Mary Richardello's son Ronnie is 14 years old plays the accordion and is a student at the Mennin School of Music in Pittsfield. A few weeks age he visited Carnegie Hall in New York with his teacher to watch a concert in which many famous artists played. The following week on May 23rd he played several numbers in a concert given in Holyoke, Mass. in which the famous Galla-Rine appeared as guest star.

and is scheduled for four concert appearances this summer. Mary and Nick have every right to be proud of Ronnie and we shall all be watching his progress in the future. "Ronnie"!...Question Corner: 1. Why does Miles O'Grady run to the window almost every day to wave at some passers by? Because it's his wife and son taking their afternoon stroll. We hear that Ed Clifton ran out of gas in the middle of East Main Street Hill lately. What happened Ed?...3. We also hear that Ed Suthers took a cold dip in the Deer-field lately. What a rude awakening!

held lately. What a rutor awarening.

4. Why is Bob Delisle called "The Dreamer"?...5. We've heard that Terry Blake has the title of "Machine Wrecker" — and we can well understand why! She goes through three or four machines a day One never knows where she'll be working next!...6. We wonder why Marjorie Callahan doesn't buy herself a tool kit. She's forever looking for some kind of implement to fix her machine!...7. Ask Elaine LaBonte why she has to eat spinach regularly? Everyone else takes vitamins—but she eats—spinach!

#### Coil Winding and Filter Development

by Lucy Kenny Congratulations are in order for these four youngsters who made their first communion, Michael Lavariere grandson of Virginia Delisle; Colleen Mulcahy, granddaughter of Betty Battersby; Robert Sullivan, nephew of Jeanette Cady and Stephen Abuisi, nephew of Lucy Kenny...Arthur Cardinal enjoyed his vacation and had a nice visit with his daughter, Sister May Emma of the Sisters of St. Anne in Lynn, Mass. . . Alida Heath's son, John is getting along fine after a foot operation . . Bob Hamilton spent Memorial Day weekend in Springfield visiting relatives and he also had a nephew that took his first communion.

Mike Morin won two trophies at the bowling banquet and Bob Hamilton won a fishing pole...Stella Beauchamp is spending three weeks in Albuquerque, New Mexico visiting her brother and his family...Dom Pisano, Joe Moreau, Mike Morin, Fran Dargie and Harry Duffy went to ee the Red Sox and Detroit game in Boston but got rained out, but all in all the boys had a good time...Joe Moreau just can't seem to get to a ball game without getting rained out. What's-a-matter, Joe?

Advertising
by Janice Harriman A new precedent was established in the annals of the Sprague Products Company when the girls of the Advertising Department attended a convention and the men stayed behind to hold the fort...Ah! what a wonderful week was that of May 19. The May Parts Show was in full swing and we had a gala time in good old Chi. We left Friday at 3 p.m. with fond farewells from Sid, John and Lloyd. We boarded the New England States train at Pittsfield and settled down in the club car. RELAX! was our cry until 8 o'clock when we went to the dining car for a delicious steak dinner. Comrades Ozolins and Zauls entertained with some risque stories about the Russkies. Sleepy Goodermote re-

bedtime hour—9 p.m. Upon our arrival in Chicago, we lazed around the lounge of the Conrad Hilton until Show time. Booth duty was assigned to A. M. Barbeau and P. M. Sadlow Harri Harriman was in charge of the suite and everything went off like clockwork. The rest of our group invaded the shops and beauty salons of Chicago, forgetting that we were a part of the Show. Mac McGovern called the office several times during the week to see if the men were keep the home fires burning. course, we loaded them up with work before we left so as to insure a minimum of goofing...Monday, we arrived back in North Adams, well and happy, with a box of cigars for the boys as a token of our appreciation Needless to say, this was our first and last trip to any convention. have to admit that we didn't do half as good a job as the boys but then we had other things on our minds clothes, food, new styles, food, men. food, plays, food, etc. (end of dream) General Accounting

Vera Uberti and Geneva Pratt spent a weeks vacation at Wash-ington, D. C. Lee Cimonetti spent her two weeks at home spring clean-ing .... "Nan" Price is beginning count the days until Carl will be home. Let's see it isn't too much longer, is it Nancy? . . . Although there is still about 6 months until Christmas. Cimonetti already has her list made out. We hear a telephone heads that list....What is this about Lucille DiLorenzo turning domestic? hear your cooking is pretty good, ex ceptions of course. Don't lose faith Lucille practice makes perfect, still holds true ... WANTED—just peaceful uninterrupted coffee break for Jan Trozzi. Girls that's not asking too much is it? . . . Congratulations to Bunny Wegrzyn who has been married a whole year. She celebrated her birthday and anniversary the same day. A cake was presented to her by the girls.

#### Ceramics

by Ida Gigliotti and Lee Grillone

It's nice to have Olive Pelletier back with us after being on sick leave. we missed her...Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dean on the birth of a son on May 16th. the proud mother worked with us in Ceramics...Lee Grillone was the surprised recipient of a delicious birthday cake from Theresa Paquin and proceeded to give us added calories by passing it around . . Gerry Coyne went to New York and came back with a box of chocolate covered cherries, John Andrews favorite sweets, and you wonder why we're gaining weight. We wish Lee Grillone a happy birthday and of course Gerry should go to the city more often... Congratulations to Jean Ferris on her birthday and, that's all the information on the subject that she'll give out. Vacation time is at hand and Dover Owens has already enjoyed his two weeks...Jane Dobbert is back after being laid off, it's nice to have Jane working on the day shift with us. We were sorry our association with Helen Pietras was of short duration. for it certainly was a pleasure working with her. Our very best wishes to her on her new job. . . It certainly is nice to be back after being out on sick leave, I missed you all and many many thanks for the cards, gifts and the kindness extended to me in so many ways which made convalescing more pleasant for me...Ida.

# Purchasing by Lea Walden

We can tell the warmer weather is finally with us. There is a bit of varied spring activity going on . . . Mr. Fairbanks washing down the outside of his house. Window washing brig-

## Happy Birthday...

Bertram Peters

Joan Harrington

Janet Haas Sandra Isherwood

Connie Blanchard

Rita Charron

Marion Andrews

Ioan Murray Ann Canzano

John J. Walsh Minnie Hamlin

June Rock Olive O'Neil

Alice Beauchamp

Martha Lewis Larry Hopkins

Lurice Faour

Julia Abraham

Marie Ziemlak

Pauline Barrett Gioia Zappone Elizabeth Costa

Susan Pallone

Nancy Cook

Peg Decoteau

Rose Blair

Jessie Dziegiel

Irene Morin

John L. Murray Harold Lowe

Bertha Dupree

Frances Solari

Leilani Wilson

Jean Ferris

Adele Gawron

Bernie Tatro

Ruth Haskins Betty Wol

Martha Zeppieri

Walter "Scotty" Graves

Roy Astorino 18

Dot Carden

John H. Gifford

Donald Law

Barbara Putthoff

Barbara Simon Ann St. Cyr

Lorraine Trozzi

91 Marlene Durocher

21 Bill Burdick

Pam Christopher 22

22 Francis Delisle

22 Dorothy Saulnier

99 Ronald Hopkins

23 Kenny Russell

23 Gladys McBride

Rose Sudacki 23

Larry Brothers 23

24 Walter K. Baumert

24 Ella Dunsmore

Shirley Brown Paul Sanford

Adele Solari

25 Edith Noel

27

Laura Lanoue

Priscilla Greenlaw 97

Agnes Labombard 27

27 Ida Decoteau

28 Ernest Johnson 29 Joseph Swistak

30 Carl Fisher

Anita Jozefiak 30

30 Margaret Brule

30 Ann Joppich

31 Milton Sprague

31 Jack Severin

ades with Lil Adams and Shirley Rarick leading. Emma Mutart planting shrubbery. Yours truly wielding a rake. Mr. MacNamara with a new Yours truly wielding bow tie and straw hat. spending weekends at Northampton.

Joan Pelczynski riding around noon hours in a convertible. Dora Delisle coming in mornings carrying fresh flowers. Marion Langer, Lorraine Trozzi and Betty Bogus with their crisp cottons. Ken Hamilton putting away his fur lined gloves. Leland Buzzell taking off after work for trout fishing. Bob Howard busy with Boy Scout Camporees. Coffee breaks conversations about the best place to spend a vacation — yes summer is finally here.



"Seeing is Believing"

Lou Vincelette holds the 40". 19 lb. Pike he landed on a recent fishing trip to Dorval Lodge, Verendrye Park, Quebec.

#### Anniversaries . . . FOR JULY

3, Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Perreault, 36th

4, Mr. & Mrs. Aldem Trottier, 5th 4, Mr. & Mrs. John Blair, 8th

4, Mr. & Mrs. Ernie Clermont, 16th

6, Mr. & Mrs. Samuel A. Miller,

7, Mr. & Mrs. Gordon Harrington. 8, Mr. & Mrs. Russell Noel, 35th

8, Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Carlisle.

9, Mr. & Mrs. A. M. McConnell.

10, Mr. & Mrs. Joe LoPresto, 4th

12, Mr. & Mrs. Victor Gigliotti, 25th 13, Mr. & Mrs. William Hermon, 4th

14, Mr. & Mrs. Richard Barbeau,2nd

14, Mr. & Mrs. Harry Rondeau, 24th

16, Mr. & Mrs. Duillio Dami, 27th

18, Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Fournier, 20th

18, Mr. & Mrs. Lino Piantoni, 5th

19, Mr. & Mrs. Olympio DePaoli, 11th

27, Mr. & Mrs. William A. Brown, 1st

27. Mr. & Mrs. William A. Brown, isa 29. Mr. & Mrs. Leo Patenaude, 8th 29. Mr. & Mrs. Lames Girard, 19th 30. Mr. & Mrs. Edward Clifton, 9th 31, Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Zaluzny, Jr., 4th

## Baby Talk---

May 1, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brewer, Son

May 6, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Williams May 7, Mr. and Mrs. William A

Davis, Son May 16, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dean, Son

May 18, Mr. and Mrs. Philip D. Mechan, Son May 19, Mr. and Mrs. Allan B.

McPherson, Son May 19, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph B.

Goodwin, Son May 23, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lewis, Son May 24, Mr. and Mrs. Herman A.

Bleil, Son
May 24, Mr. and Mrs. William
Kieda, Son

Going My Way Beverly Mondia & Kenneth Rougeau Judith Simon & Philip Collins Barbara Simon & Leo Mastroianni Concetta Angeli & Robert Duval Leanora Parrino & Peter D'Amico Marjorie Towslee & Ernest Roberts Barbara Belding & Ernest Superneau Ella Naberezny & Raynar Getty

## "I Do" Notes

May 3, Phyllis M. Charron and Bernard E. Therrien

May 10, Jacqueline M. Mahar and Victor B. Gay May 29, Esther Prendergast and

Clifton Smith May 30, Sandra Ann Morin and Neil John Tanguay May 31, Rosalie Wandrei and

Truman Randall June 7, Dorothy Wolkowicz and Lawrence Lauth



Ronnie received tremendous applause,

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